

WEATHER REPORT.
All Observations Taken on the 75th Meridian (Eastern) Time.
SIGNAL OFFICE, U. S. ARMY
Signal Officer, San Fran., April 1, 1886,
10 P. M. (Eastern time), 70° meridian;
120° (Pacific time), 120th meridian.

Observer's Name:	Barom.	Therm.	Direction of Wind	Rain 12 hours	Weather
John D. Miller	29.78	+05 47	S. W.	.12	Cloudy
Olympia	29.81	+05 47	N. W.	.10	Rain
Walla Walla	29.82	+05 47	E. N. E.	.05	Clear
Danby	29.83	+05 47	N. W.	.05	Clear
Portland	29.79	+05 47	N. W. W.	.05	Cloudy
Roseburg	29.86	+05 46	S. W. W.	.57	Rain
Red Bluff	29.92	+05 46	S. W. S.	.05	Cloudy
Sacramento	30.01	+05 52	S. W. W.	.10	Fair
San Fran.	30.09	+05 52	N. W.	.10	Cloudy
Stockton	30.09	+05 52	N. W.	.10	Cloudy
L. O. Obs.	30.04	+05 51	N. N. W.	.10	Cloudy
L. D. Obs.	30.05	+05 51	N. N. W.	.10	Cloudy
S. Diesel.	30.05	+05 51	N. N. W.	.10	Cloudy

*The barometer readings for Walla Walla and Keeler are not corrected to sea level. Maximum temperature, 69.0°; minimum ten minutes, 48.5°. — JAMES BARRETT, Sergeant, Signal Corps, U. S. A.

ADVERTISEMENT MENTION.

Musical Theater—McNish, Johnson & Evans' Opera House—Matinee and evening. Capitol Lodge this evening. Bricklayers and Laborers' meeting. Ready to the public—Terence Odermat. Hussar monthly meeting.

Business Advertisements.

Oriental Cream as a laxative. Weinstock & Lubin—Candy shoes. Notice of street work—G street. Theatre Royal—Twenty-second street. Globe Hotel, Auburn. Partnership dissolution. Notice of street work—G street. Apprentice girls wanted. Red Wing—Woolen goods. Weinstock & Lubin—Our picture mill. W. D. Constock—Furniture. General Hardware and machinery.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Sergeant Barret's Report. The following report shows the mean temperature and total rainfall for March for each Signal Service station from Olympia to San Diego, and also the rainfall for several special stations in California. In the Signal Service departments, in the tables, are listed the Taku Island and Fort Candy, Oregon, and Grays River, California, report the largest rainfall of any station along the Pacific coast that had been reported. At Marysville, Lodi, Springville and San Diego, there was a heavy rain fall for the month just past, and San Diego considerably more than Sacramento. The rainfall at Sacramento yesterday was .39 of an inch, making 28.42 inches for the season, as against 16.58 inches for the whole of last season.

LOCALITIES.	March 1	March 2	March 3	March 4	March 5	March 6	March 7	March 8	March 9	March 10	March 11
Tatooch Island	42°	10.90									
Olympia	42°	4.10									
Snow Falls	42°	1.00									
Walla Walla	44	1.10									
Fort Candy	44	8.30									
Pearl City	52	2.68									
Roseburg	53	3.00									
Bethel	53	1.30									
Oroville	53	2.00									
Colusa	54	.64									
Gardner	54	.62									
Stringer Springs	54	.52									
Folsom City	54	.316									
San Jose	52	2.00									
San Francisco	52	2.00									
Kester	48	.60									
San Luis Obispo	50	.240									
Los Angeles	50	.240									
San Diego	55	.370									

The barometer at 7 o'clock last night was rising from Tatooch Island to San Francisco, accompanied by a falling temperature, warmer winds, and a change in the weather from clear to fair, cloudy, light and humid. A foul-weather sunset was generally reported from Oregon, and also at San Francisco.

The Duty of a Health Officer. The Secretary of the State Board of Health was written to by a citizen, asking the Secretary to define the duties of a City Health Officer. To this communication the following reply was received. It has been furnished the Record-Union for publication.

DEAR Sir: There being some misconception as to the importance of a competent Health Officer, and being asked to define the qualifications required for the office, he should be a man of good habits, cleanly in person, affable and courteous in manner, of firm character, and well informed in all of the laws of his state, and especially in the laws relating to the charge against John C. Moore. The parties are divided in their opinion as to whether he should be a public benefactor, and it is the desire of the public that he be a man made competent for his services by a careful study of the means of preventing various miseries, and in particular those which they do occur. He should have some knowledge of chemistry, of physics, of plumbum and the like, of pipes, sewers, constructing cesspools, trapping waste-pipes, and so forth. He should also be perfectly familiar with the qualities of fabrics and dyes, and have a correct knowledge of all the city ordinances, by-laws, and by-laws, and be capable of making a diagram, if necessary, of any building, and locating in each block its sewers, cesspools, and drains, which is a basis for work which is intelligent, honest, and reliable, which waits for him to do his best. His office will be the Police Department, and he will be appointed by the Police Department, and will be responsible to the City Health Officer, a system of visitation and record is indispensable, and thus only can the proper sanitary condition of the city be ascertained. The office will be a public one, and it is the desire of the public that he be a man of good character, and be a credit to the city. 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DISASTROUS FRESHETS BEYOND THE ROCKIES.

The Citrus Fair—Railroad Matters—California Horses Going East—Affairs Abroad.

[SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE RECORD-UNION.]

DOMESTIC NEWS.

The Transcontinental Rate War.

BOSTON, April 1st.—The Atchison officials are very reticent regarding the pur-
chase of the San Joaquin. The new
proprietor, however, says a new circuit
will extend new subscriptions rights for the
Indian Territory mileage, the connecting
link between the Atchison system, Gulf
Coast and San Joaquin. The link will be
some 275 to 300 miles long, and the
number of victims is said to be 442.

COUNTY TREASURER'S REPORT.

Following is the report of George E.
Kuchler County Treasurer, for the month
ending March, 1888:

Cash on hand March 1, 1888: \$1,600.82
RECEIPTS.

State Fund.....\$1,675.29
General Fund.....5,022.93
Hospital Fund.....300.40
School Fund.....265.96
Interest Fund.....10.65
Sinking and Interest Fund.....128.74
Bank Fund.....128.74
P. R. R. Bond Fund.....128.74
1884 Fund.....128.74
Salary Fund.....755.05
State Property Fund.....113.92
Total.....\$1,873.74

DISBURSEMENTS.

General Fund.....\$4,158.55
Hospital Fund.....2,727.92
School Fund.....58.89
Road Fund.....3,413.67
Sinking and Interest Fund.....192.00
Salary Fund.....2,956.00
Balance.....\$1,873.75

APPOINTED AS FOLLOWS:

State Fund.....\$1,655.84
General Fund.....5,065.19
Hospital Fund.....300.40
School Fund.....265.96
Interest Fund.....10.65
Bonds of 1872 Fund.....12,039.49
Central Pacific R. R. Bond Fund.....3,292.80
Salary Fund.....128.74
Swamp and Overflooded Land Fund.....2,758.99
State Property Redemption Fund.....134.78

Cash on hand April 1, 1888: \$163,873.26

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK.—\$2,815.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 1, 1888.—
MORNING SESSION.

Ogilvie.....\$800
G. & C. Co., San Francisco.....500
Con. G. Co., San Francisco.....500
Savage.....1,250
H. & N.2,600

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Eureka.....1,500 & C.
Jackson.....1,800 & B.
Holmes.....750 & C.
Barker.....1,650
Buder.....1,250
Syndicate.....15
Jacket.....1,250
Perry.....1,250
Mexican.....500
Bullion.....2,000

PROPOSALS FOR FRESH BEEF AND FRESH MUTTON.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF CALIFORNIA, OFFICE OF THE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER, PRESTO, SAN FRANCISCO, April 1, 1888.

SEALD PROPSALS, IN TRIPPLICATE, SUB-

JET TO THE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER,

AND TO THE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER,

OF THE FOLLOWING NAME POSTS, UNTIL 11:00 O'CLOCK, M. & M. SAN FRANCISCO, ON THE 1ST APRIL, 1888, AT THE TIME AND PLACE,

WHICH ARE AS FOLLOWS:—

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